

Voices From Afar Comment on the Holiday Edition

Former Colemanites Write
Cheery Letters of Interest—
"Everyone Worked Together in
Old Days," States Old-Timer.

Midlandvale, Alta.,
Dec. 27, 1935.

Mr. Editor:

We enjoyed your Christmas number very much and in "Looking Backward" some of the events are very vivid in our minds. We came to Coleman at the end of 1904 and remember the year the strike was called. It lasted about six months.

I remember the day of the fire in Main street. I saw them carry out the furniture and put it in the middle of the street. What was not burned was destroyed by water. I was so sorry to see it because we had no chairs at that time. Those were the days of home-made couches and packing boxes for dressers.

Times are greatly changed. The first Christmas the rink was open we stood outside and watched the game with a temperature of 50 degrees below zero. We had great times with surprise parties. Thirty or forty people would drop in and carry out the heater with fire in it to make room for dancing.

People were very friendly in those days. We all worked together to help build the churches. We had a great leader in Mrs. Frank Graham and merry were the big bean suppers we put on.

There was no road up the hill in those days, but we thought nothing of climbing up or down the hill or crossing the creek the best way we knew how, to see old friends. There are a few still remaining to remind us of the past. They are changed as all things change.

Nothing in the world can last. Some are gone from us forever. Longer here they cannot stay. They have reached a fairer region.

Far away, far away.

Old Timer

Ed. Note: The lady who wrote this letter is well known here, Mrs. Easton, whose letter will be appreciated by other old-timers.

Another Bouquet

Sugden, Alta.
Dec. 25, 1935.

Mrs. Young wishes that you would not make the paper so attractive, as our neighbors borrow it on arrival and we scarcely get a look at it for some days.

There are quite a few people here from Coleman and they like to read all the news.

Many happy returns of Christmas for yourself and staff.
I am, yours sincerely,
Robert Young.

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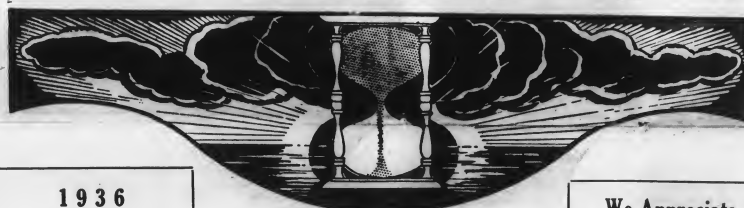


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This Not So Good

The editor's daughter, Wilma, writing from Edmonton, stated she did not think this Christmas issue as good as last. This takes whatever little conceit we might have had from our salls, as the staff had prided themselves on it being the best since we took over the paper. However, there's nothing like free expression of opinions, and you surely get it from your daughters.

This Sounds Better

Regina, Sask.
Dec. 27, 1935.

Thanks very much for sending us a copy of your Christmas number. You have a very nice cover and we notice you are carrying a lot of advertising. Altogether we think it is very creditable. We sincerely hope the new year will bring a full measure of prosperity.

Yours truly,

F. A. DEMOREST,
Manager Regina Branch,
Toronto Type Foundry Co. Ltd.

Thanks for Christmas Remembrances

The Journal acknowledges many Christmas greetings from friends in Coleman and from distant points in various parts of the Dominion. From Vancouver Island comes one from Mr. and Mrs. George Dickson with a nicely illustrated booklet containing a song specially written for the Island, entitled "The Paradise of the West."

The good wishes contained in the greetings of all friends are heartily reciprocated. We appreciate these kindly remembrances.

Miss Farina DeCocco of Trail, B. C. is spending the holidays at her home here.

Wm. Heibin Wins Radio

Wm. Heibin, local barber, held the lucky ticket on the six-tube General Electric radio raffled by the Junior hockey club on Christmas night. Ticket number 72 was drawn by Miss Joy Ferguson, who honored the club by presiding at the draw. Immediately after the draw for the radio the Christmas stock sponsored by the Elite Confectionery was raffled, the lucky Mr. and Mrs. George Dickson. The dance was a great success, every one present seemingly enjoying themselves to the fullest, coaxed by the haunting melody of Arcadians orchestra.

W. H. Hunter, of the North American Life Assurance Co., is spending a few days in town this week.

Ivor Morgan, student at Calgary Technical school is home for the Christmas holidays.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

"Smart Alecs" who do not know how to carry a drink caused damage at the Coleman Cafe Christmas night. To prevent a repetition of this disgraceful conduct, the cafe closed at 11 p. m. new year's eve. On new year's night a surging mob watching a little man chase a big man looked like a small riot. Main street gave the appearance of the town having gone wild.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Young and children of Lethbridge spent Christmas Day the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Burrell.

Miss Emma Antel is spending the holidays at her home here, having arrived Tuesday from her school north of Edmonton.

Miss Violet Wilson, student at Garbutt's business college, Calgary, is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of her parents.

Efficiency Medal for Hockey Players

The Gordon efficiency medal is being competed for by Coleman hockey players. The object is to eliminate rough play and to make players get control of their temper, states the donor of the medal. The development of hockey brains is the objective. Three judges, unknown to each other or the players, check up during the games, and at the close of the season their points are compared.

The winner should be a player who in the opinion of the townspeople and according to his playing is Coleman's outstanding player, and a boy whose friends will follow him wherever he goes.

The judges' decision is final, and the result of their watching and their award will be awaited with keen interest by hockey fans. The rules to be followed are set forth in a typewritten sheet prepared by Mr. Gordon and which has been read to the players.

Bowling League

10 Pin League Standing

	Won	Lost
Tigers	12	3
Italian Society	12	3
Sharks	10	5
Polish Society	6	9
Trundlers	5	10

Highest Average

A. Dow	167
P. Rinaldi	164
J. Sapeta	164
J. Rinaldi	159
R. Spillars	153
A. Thompson	153
L. Sist	153

Highest Team Average

Italians	515
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High Score

J. Sapeta	219
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Canadians vs. Maple Leafs, Win 1-0

Lethbridge Maple Leafs gave a spirited display last evening to hold the Coleman Canadians to one lone goal, before 700 fans. Soft ice made the going hard for both teams, though Canadians dominated play for the most part. Lopichuk's goal from Joyce with thirty seconds to go in the first period gave Coleman the two points to make a clean sweep of the two game series. Only two penalties were handed out, Coleman getting both, Fisher and F. Brown being the culprits. L. Holt in the Lethbridge net gave a brilliant display of goal-keeping and did much to keep down the score.

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Buy from those merchants whose ads. you read in The Journal, for they carry dependable merchandise at lowest market prices.

The Romilly Boy Singers

Victor Desautels, Montreal, under whose management the Romilly Boy Singers are being booked in their trans-Canada tour, writes:

"Will you arrange with six Welsh families to take care of two boys each during their stay in Coleman. This makes it a change for the boys from hotel life and we have had so many requests from families in each city we have appeared in, that I am sure this will be an easy task for you."

It would be appreciated if those willing to take two boys would advise The Journal of office.

The Canadian Wheat Problem

In a recent article a suggestion was made that the time is ripe to make efforts to induce the consumer in Great Britain, and particularly in England, to demand a better quality of bread, in anticipation that the creation of an appetite for a quality loaf would naturally result in greater sales of Western Canadian hard spring wheat in Canada's best, though restricted market.

The suggestion was based on evidence that this market is narrowing due to a growing taste for more expensive and exotic substitutes for the staff of life throughout Great Britain generally, fortified in England particularly, by an appetite for bread of a lower protein content than is contained in flour manufactured from the hard spring wheat for which the Western prairies is the natural habitat.

Since that time further and more potent evidence has come to hand, which not only confirms the statements afoot a disquieting trend in the Old Land which, unless stemmed, is bound to adversely affect the interests and welfare of the Western Canadian prairies but, if anything, tends to show that the situation is even more alarming than it might have appeared at first blush. In view of the great importance of this market, the life blood in fact, of Western Canada, no apology is needed for again reverting to the subject in such short time.

The confirmation of this highly undesirable (from the viewpoint of Western Canadian citizens, rural and urban alike) condition existing in Great Britain and other European consumer countries, comes from Sir Francis Floud, British high commissioner to Canada, who, about the middle of December, sounded a warning note to the general effect that Canada is in serious danger of losing the British and European markets. He gave three principal reasons for his dire assertion and they are as follows:

1. The spread in price between Canadian and Argentine wheat.
2. The growing demand in Great Britain for fancy breads which are composed of 90 per cent. Argentine soft wheat and 10 per cent. Canadian hard wheat.
3. The falling population of the civilized countries of the world.

In his comments before the Commerce Club of the University of Toronto, Sir Francis Floud drew a dark picture of the outlook, in which he pointed out that in recent years the proportion of Canadian wheat taken by Great Britain has been dwindling steadily while the price spread between Argentine and Canadian wheat has been widening, to the detriment of the latter in a country which is noted for the policy of its industrial and commercial interests of buying in the cheapest markets.

"I am sorry to say this, gentlemen," Sir Francis is quoted as saying, "but the outlook for Canada as an agrarian nation is both bleak and difficult, and until economists solve the present baffling international trade problems the future for Canadian wheat is a very serious problem."

Practically no news despatches have been announced at least a temporary removal of one of these barriers to continued losses in the British market, in reports of crop failures in the Argentine, coupled with the announcement that the Argentine government had fixed the price of its wheat at 90 cents a bushel, placing it on a parity with the better quality Canadian wheat. This resulted in a sudden demand for Canadian wheat and an immediate advance in price.

While this, of course, is satisfactory, while this situation lasts, it should be pointed out that it may only be a temporary situation and should not be permitted to divert attention from the more serious and long range aspects of the problem, namely the growing trend in our best market to use substitutes for bread, and the demand for fancy soft wheat bread.

Indeed, with the prices of Argentine soft wheat and Canadian hard wheat more closely in balance it might well be argued that there is no better time than the present to demonstrate to the British consumer that it is possible to produce the most tasty of fancy breads from Canadian wheat and to cultivate a demand for high quality along with devices for tickling the palate.

In considering this phase of the problem it should also be borne in mind that a short crop in the Argentine now may be followed 12 months hence by a bumper yield in that country and that the Argentine government is anxious to get rid of its wheat at a fairly high level may be renouncing at any time, even before another crop is ready for the market.

Another factor in the situation is the likelihood of substantial, perhaps heavy wheat crops being reaped in Western Canada in the next few years, in which event this country will require expanding, instead of the recent contracting, demand for its wheat in the consumer countries. Authorities declare that the drought of the past few years is definitely broken, and with the grasshopper menace receding and a promise of a rust resistant wheat in commercial quantities within the next year or two, there is reasonable belief for anticipating that Western Canada will have more wheat to export than has been available in the past few years.

The only alternatives to creating consumer demand are to cultivate new markets or to devote attention to production of other commodities. Perhaps the solution of the problem is to find in a combination of all.

Scarcity Of Fur Animals

Saskatchewan Reports Few Trapped Compared With Other Years

Fur-bearing animals, such as the fox, mink, otter, coyote, weasel and skunk are somewhat scarce in Saskatchewan this year compared to former years, officials of this game branch, provincial government report.

A few mink and otter have been trapped, and in the southern part of the province a drive has been on against skunks and weasels, but the numbers killed are not large. Coyotes are fairly plentiful in central and western sections of the province but no great numbers have been killed.

Jack rabbits, a pest last year in several sections, resulting in organized drives and killing of as many as 1,000 a day, are scarcer this year. There is an exceptionally strong demand for jack rabbits this year, with prices at 16 and 17 cents. Last year the prime rabbits brought about 10 cents.

Relief Costs

Expense Of Supporting Unemployed Varies In Each Province

Wide variations in November relief costs in different provinces were shown in figures released by the federal labor department. It costs \$7.62 to support an unemployed person in Ontario and \$11 in Prince Edward Island with \$6.52 the average for all provinces.

Variations were due to local conditions and different standards of relief maintained. The figures did not include administration costs.

The following were the provincial averages: Prince Edward Island, \$1.51; Nova Scotia, \$4.15; New Brunswick, \$3.15; Quebec, \$5.44; Ontario, \$7.62; Manitoba, \$7.19; Saskatchewan, \$6.19; Alberta, \$7.33; and British Columbia, \$7.30.

Whittling Now Fine Art

Skill With Jackknife Gives Cowboy Lots Of Work

Whittling has developed from a mere pastime into an art. To-day there are whittling prize contests and the jackknife sculptors form one of the attractions. One of the jackknife sculptors whose carvings have attracted a great deal of attention is Herbert Anderson, a cowboy who once rode the range in Colorado. During his spare time he carved and at night around the campfire "Andy," as he was familiarly known in the cow-punching days, would take out his jackknife and whittle out figures of the various characters around the camp. Indians and tough characters were his specialty. Later he gave up being a cowboy and established what he called a "trading post" where he spent all his time carving his strange wooden figures. The ex-cowboy never took a lesson in his life but his miniatures are unusually true to life. A jackknife and any kind of wood and a western masterpiece is the result.

Out Of His Control

A well-known actor was appearing in a play in which a thunderstorm played an important part. One night, in the middle of a speech, he was interrupted by a terrific peal.

The annoyed actor looked up into the flies and said: "That came in the wrong place."

And the angry stagehand replied: "Oh, did it? Well, it came from 'even.'"

Shipment Was Profitable

One hundred and sixty hogs were shipped recently from Calgary to Seattle. The extra prices received over the line was said to be sufficient to meet the extra freight, duty and processing charges. 2130

SKY FLEA COSTS LESS THAN CAR



"La Cucaracha" is the appropriate name of this "sky flea", a plane with a wing spread of 20 feet, weighing only 316 pounds. It has a cruising speed of 80 miles an hour, and was built by Edwin Nurmaler of Cincinnati for Powell Crooley, Jr., radio magnate, at a cost of \$100 plus the cost of the motor and labour.

Problem For Hungry

How To Bring Back Echo Which Has Been Lost

All the world loves an echo, and Hungary is mourning a lost love. The echo was last heard at Lake Balaton, where tourists used to put it through its paces and listen with delight when it repeated, with additions, their slightest utterance. This was an in-dustrial echo. Nothing seemed to exhaust it while the supply of tourists lasted, and it would go on cheerfully all day long without a pause.

Then, as if weary of well-doing, it dwindled and died. The inhabitants of the region, disturbed by the loss of revenue, invited professors and scientists to say where it had gone, and what the possibilities were of bringing it back.

Few things are more elusive than an echo. A lost echo is hard to recover, but the scientists were not to be defeated. The professors suggested that the trees growing in the neighborhood had first blanketed the sound and finally, as they grew up, had stifled it. But a delicate problem is now set to those who would call the echo back. The trees might be cut down and the echo yet be shy. Then the lake would lose both its echo and its trees.

Seeking Information

Halifax Business And Professional Men Studying Social Credit

A number of Halifax business and professional men have organized a group for a study of the principles of Social Credit, according to Edward S. Dixon, manager of the Halifax tourist bureau.

He denied a report that a new political party for Nova Scotia was in the making. "That's ridiculous," he asserted. "We are not forming a party. We merely want to see what is in the Social Credit plan."

He added that the group, numbering about a dozen, had been formed as the outgrowth of a study club which had taken up such subjects as unemployment and health insurance. "We just want to find out what there is to the scheme," he emphasized.

Interested In Water-Lilies

American Botanist Travelled 4,000 Miles To See Rare Specimens

To see a water-lily pond kept by a policeman in his garden in London an American professor of botany has travelled 4,000 miles. The two men, Dr. Henry S. Conrad, professor of Botany at Grinnell University, New York, and Constable Robert Trickett, have corresponded for five years on the subject of water-lilies—their life interest. Trickett who is a Fellow of the Royal Horticultural Society, is well known at the Royal Botanic Gardens, in Kew, where he has helped to identify rare specimens. He owns a comprehensive collection of botanical works, but his proudest possession is an autographed book, Dr. Conrad's monograph on water-lilies.

Gifts For Fire Victims

A wooden bathing suit was among the many contributions offered for victims of the Royal hotel fire in Hamilton, Ont. An "Alice in Wonderland" hair band and a picture of a 1906 automobile party were other gifts to those rendered homeless by the disastrous blaze that claimed one life.

Fastidious Diner: "I'll have a portion of chicken; it must be a cockerel, and this year's bird, and nothing but the leg will do."

Waiter: "Very good, sir. Right or left leg, sir?"

Great Criminal Pathologist

Professor Sydney Smith One Of Best In World

Although not well known in England Professor Sydney Smith, who is Regius Professor of Forensic Medicine at Edinburgh University, is in Scottish medical circles regarded as one of the greatest criminal pathologists who ever lived, says the News of the World. He won a remarkable reputation as a criminologist in Egypt, where before taking up his present appointment in 1926, he was principal medico-legal expert to the Egyptian Government and Professor of Forensic Medicine in the University of Egypt. He came to be regarded as a veritable Sherlock Holmes there. His greatest claim to fame was for the part he played in bringing to boot the murders of Sir Lee Stack, the late Sirdar of Egypt. His dramatic reconstruction of the murder was practically the deciding piece of evidence at the trial in 1926. He held the court spellbound with his evidence. At one stage he had the door of the murderers' house set on trestles before the magistrates' bench, while he demonstrated how two at least of the pistols used had been secreted in a panel of the door.

A Strange Case

Woman In Russia Poses As Man And "Marries" Other Women

A woman accused of posing as a man and "marrying" nine other women in a period of four years only to rob and abandon them was arrested at Kadievka, in the Don Basin, says a report from Moscow. She is Vera Zavyarkina and her system, authorities said, was to get her "bride" drunk on vodka on the wedding day and make off with her possessions while she remained in a stupor.

Everything went all right until the last of the nine remained conscious under the influence of the liquor and called the police. Vera was arrested before she could complete her getaway.

Police said the woman, between courtships and marriages, wore feminine clothing.

India's Air Beacon Chain

Pilots flying across India will rarely be out of sight of an aerodrome on the 2700-mile route from Karachi to Rangoon with a great chain of beacon lights which have been set up along the route. Each of them will be visible from 50 to 100 miles away. At no time will an airplane have more than two hours' flying without passing a guiding light.

"Metal" bags are being tried out for packing marshmallows as well as potato chips, as a means of preserving freshness.

Proves Earth Is Round

Pictures Taken From Stratosphere Clearly Shows Curved Line

New visual proof that the world is round, shown in a stratosphere picture snapped at almost 14 miles above the earth's surface, was displayed in Washington by the National Geographic Society.

Captain Albert Stevens of the United States army air corps, co-sponsor of the stratosphere flight of November 21, showed for the first time still and motion pictures taken from the balloon's record-making ceiling. Society officials declared these pictures and other scientific data obtained outrank in importance the setting of the altitude record.

The earth curvature picture shows a section of the horizon 200 miles long, more than 3½ degrees of a circle and about 1-10th of the total circumference of the earth. Projected on a screen, it reveals clearly the curved line of the earth's surface. To take this picture Captain Stevens' special camera saw a distance of 300 miles and penetrated the white haze of the distant horizon by the screening of all light except the penetrating infra-red rays. Taken approximately over Parmelee, S.D., it recorded, within 40,000 square miles of western South Dakota territory.

SELECTED RECIPES

WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

Simplified Straight Dough Method For Making Four Loaves

- 8 cups Whole Wheat flour
- 2 cups sifted white flour
- 1½ tablespoons salt
- 4 tablespoons sugar
- 4 tablespoons butter (or lard)
- 1 Royal Yeast Cake
- 4 cups warm water, or milk or potato water.

Method

In the evening break up and soak one Royal Yeast Cake for 30 minutes in 4 cups of warm (not hot) liquid, to which has been added 4 tablespoons sugar. Mix 1½ tablespoons salt with 2 cups sifted white flour and add to whole wheat flour. Melt 4 tablespoons butter or lard, and add to yeast liquid. Mix flour and liquid. Turn out on floured board and knead well, adding flour if dough sticks to bowl. Place dough in warm, greased bowl, cover well and allow to rise overnight, about 10 hours.

Woman Pirate

Japanese Police Capture Girl Who Terrorized China Coast

Another chapter in the lengthy saga of women pirates on the China coast was closed when Japanese police put a 27-year-old girl named Sue Nakamura on board a vessel due to leave for Japan where she will go to prison for her misdeeds.

A primary school teacher in Hokkaido, Japan, her native province, she later went to Formosa and became the mistress of a notorious pirate chieftain, Chen Pai-Lin. She took part in hundreds of raids on junks and small towns along the coast and was known by the whole pirate fraternity, officers said. Police arrested her recently in Foochow, capital of Fukien province. She was brought to Shanghai by Japanese authorities.

Clever Blind Girl

Although blind for the past 10 years, ever since she was 12, Agnes Horn, Edmonton, has developed her four remaining senses to a point where she can sew, knit, weave, play the piano, operate a switchboard and qualify as a first-class stenographer.

Motorists are running into deer on Saskatchewan highways. Proper thing is to pass the buck.

A well bred man conceals how much he thinks of himself and how little he thinks of others.

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Cunard White Star Line "Queen Mary" Provides Wonderful Accommodation For Tourists

Never before in the history of North Atlantic travel will such lavish provision have been made for tourist class passengers as in the new Cunard White Star Line "Queen Mary."

Tourist facilities in the great liner will include stateroom accommodation extending over five decks. Eighty per cent. of the rooms will have adjoining private toilets; every stateroom will be fitted with mahogany bedsteads and supplied with hot and cold water. It will also have its own system of ventilation under the passenger's individual control.

Tourist public rooms will include an air conditioned dining saloon, nearly eight feet long and extending the full width of the ship, a smoking room, cocktail bar, a library for 1,500 books, children's playroom complete with a model railway, two lounges, one to be used on occasion as a talking picture cinema and ballroom; and a writing room.

The large swimming pool is being fitted out in blue and silver and adjoining an exceptionally complete gymnasium.

Passengers in Third Class will also find luxury in their accommodation. Every stateroom will have fitted dressing tables, overhead bedlights, hot and cold water, and ventilation controlled by the passenger. Public rooms will be tremendously in advance of anything which has previously been provided for Third Class passengers. They include two lounges, both situated underneath the bridge and providing magnificent views looking forward out to sea; a smoking room and children's playroom.

Rivers No Obstacle

Army Ants In Malaya Have System Of Crossing

That many ants in Malaya operate with military precision and march in lines that seem to have been planned by Carvelth Wells. Rivers are no obstacles to them, he says. The main body of the army waits at the bank of the river while scouts reconnoitre and choose a bend where the current sweeps diagonally across the stream. The ants then form themselves into a ball the size of a coconut, which rolls over into the water. As the current carries the living ball across, it keeps rolling over and over, so that each ant receives only a momentary ducking. The instant the ball touches the other side it collapses, and the ants scramble ashore, reform their ranks and continue their march.

Declared Perfect Test

Those who serve sedans through the city's streets should watch their sobriety. One sentence says Dr. Hubley R. Owens, chief surgeon of the Department of Public Safety, Philadelphia, will save citizens stopped for driving while intoxicated. If you can say "Susie and Sallie Sampson sat in the soup" you're sober, the doctor asserts.

Anti-Semitism Spreading

Anti-Semitism is spreading over the North American continent with Quebec province taking a lead in attempting to sway the rest of Canada against Jews. Rabbi Barnett R. Brekner, Champaign, declared at the Canadian Jewish congress in Toronto.

Anthony Eden Is Appointed British Foreign Secretary

London.—Anthony Eden, minister for League of Nations affairs who has played a prominent role at Geneva in sponsoring coercive measures against Italy for her Ethiopian campaign, was appointed foreign secretary Sunday.

He succeeds Sir Samuel Hoare, who resigned in the face of violent criticism of the Anglo-French peace proposals he drafted with Premier Laval of France.

Appointment of the 38-year-old Eden was regarded in informed quarters as an indication Great Britain would maintain a strong stand at Geneva for sanctions against Italy.

These quarters believed that, in the present condition of world affairs, Eden's elevation would be welcomed by politicians of all parties in Britain. His prime strength at the moment is his established reputation as a convinced believer in the League of Nations as the keystone of a policy of collective security.

Moreover, he has had an intensive apprenticeship to what is at present the thorniest position in the cabinet.

Eden was reliably understood to have been one of the cabinet ministers most strongly opposed to the Franco-British peace proposals, when the terms became known. There were even reports he was prepared to resign if the government adhered to the proposals.

However, so great was the outcry from all sides against the Paris proposals that the government shelved them and Sir Samuel resigned from the post of foreign secretary.

The proposals were presented by Eden and M. Laval to the league council at Geneva but it was made clear they had not the backing of the British and French governments and that the league was free to deal with them as it wished.

The league sidetracked them and in a foreign policy debate in the house of commons, Prime Minister Baldwin announced they were "dead" and said the government would not resurrect them.

No immediate comment on the appointment of Eden was forthcoming from Rome but it was believed here it would be regarded as a direct notice to Italy that Britain's policy in the Italo-Ethiopian situation would henceforth be firm and uncompromising.

Collect Succession Duties

Toronto.—Two extra accountants have been added to the staff of Chester Walters, Ontario controller of finance, to aid in his work on collection of succession duties, Premier Hepburn announced. "We are already more than \$2,500,000 ahead in succession duties this year and expect to pick up another \$1,000,000 any day now," said the premier.

Ontario Power Dispute

Possibility Of An Agreement Being Reached Is Reported

Toronto.—Possibility of an agreement being reached quickly, after Attorney-General Arthur W. Roebuck said a recommendation regarding the power dispute involving four Quebec companies might be made to the Ontario cabinet.

Mr. Roebuck, a member of the Ontario hydro-electric commission, commented following a conference between the commission and representatives of the McLaughlin-Quebec, Beaudry, Ottawa Valley and Gatineau companies.

The commission, headed by T. Stewart Lyon, has been charged with working out a settlement since the government cancelled agreements with the companies several days ago.

Will Receive Pensions

Women Widowed In Alberta Mine Tragedy To Receive \$35 A Month

Edmonton.—Pensions of \$35 a month for life for each of the women widowed in the mine disaster at Coalsburg, Alta., where 16 miners were killed, were announced by the Workmen's Compensation Board. Should any widow re-marry, she will receive a settlement of \$150 at that time.

The 23 children orphaned in the disaster, \$12 monthly will be given the eldest in each family, \$10 to the second, \$9 to the third, and \$8 each to others. These pensions will be paid until each reaches the age of 18, provided he or she remains at school.

Dependent of the miners other than wives or children will receive pensions proportionate to their pecuniary losses.

Is Off Relief

Interdicted Man In Edmonton Says Beer Is A Necessity

Edmonton.—Beer is a necessity but relief is only a luxury, it was indicated by a man in a town near here. Because he had been interdicted from buying beer after he made application for relief, he petitioned government authorities to strike his name from the relief rolls and restore his beer-drinking privileges.

His request was granted speedily, said Relief Commissioner A. A. MacKenzie, it having been shown that the man now owes the municipality or the province nothing on relief already applied.

Carried Record Load

London.—Imperial Airways claimed a world's record for the greatest load of airmail ever carried. The occasion was the departure of a plane on Dec. 18 from Brindisi, Italy, with 2½ tons of Christmas mail for India and the Far East.

To Establish Air Service

Widow Of Famous Australian Aviator Proceeding With Plans

Sydney, Australia.—Lady Kingsford-Smith, widow of the famous Australian aviator, has decided to proceed with plans he was making for a regular air service linking Australia and New Zealand.

Sir Charles' widow decided to replace her husband as director of the Trans-Tasman Air Development Co. The company will adhere to Kingsford-Smith's plan for a semi-weekly air service between the two dominions. It will use United States Sikorsky amphibian planes.

Lady Kingsford-Smith planned to use her own resources until capital of £200,000 (approximately \$800,000) can be obtained, partly by private and partly by public subscription.

Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith and a co-pilot disappeared November 8 while attempting a record speed flight from England to Australia. They were last reported flying over the Bay of Bengal. All hope of finding them alive has been abandoned.

Japanese Invasion

Agitation In North China Flares Up At Nanking

Shanghai.—Agitation against the Japanese invasion of North China flared at Nanking while violent demonstrations continued in Tientsin and Peking against the establishment of the Chahar-Hopei collaborationist council.

Shouting mobs filled the streets of Nanking, it was reported here, calling on the government to defend China against military pressure from Japan and protesting against the Japanese movement.

These demonstrations resulted in an immediate protest by Japanese military authorities.

The political council of Chahar and Hopei was finally installed after a delay of several days caused by student disorders. General Sung, Chue-Yueh, governor of Hopei, assumed the office of chairman of the council.

Made Splendid Showing

Canadian Farmers Took 445 Awards At Chicago Show

Ottawa.—Canadian farmers annexed 445 awards, of which 18 were championships and 12 reserve championships, at the International Live Stock Exposition and Grain Show in Chicago this month.

The department of agriculture's list gives Canadian winners as follows: 18 championships, 12 reserve championships, 61 first prizes and 354 other prizes, a total of 445.

What was regarded as the outstanding honor won by Canada was, of course, the wheat championship. This was awarded to W. Frenn Wilford, of Stavely, Alta. He exhibited Reward wheat.

The department stated that Reward wheat has won the championship at Chicago every year since 1928 except in 1931.

LEAGUE REPRESENTATIVE



L. B. Pearson, councillor to the Canadian Department of External Affairs on the staff of the High Commissioner at London, England, who will represent Canada on the Committee of 18 of the League of Nations.

Kidnapped Man Released

Caleb Milne Is Found By Motorist On Highway

Doylstown, Pa.—A bewildered, skinned youth, with no socks and only one shoe, identified by Police Chief James Welsh as the missing Caleb J. Milne 4th, was found by a motorist on a highway near Doylstown.

The grandson of a wealthy, retired Philadelphia manufacturer was found amid persistent reports that the family had paid \$25,000 ransom to kidnappers.

The youthful actor and mystery writer was ill from exposure and hunger, police said. They stripped adhesive tape which locked his lips and he murmured "Caleb Milne." His wrists were bound to his knees when he was found.

Reports that the family had paid a ransom met with denial at the Milne house and department of justice agents refused to break the silence they have maintained since the search began.

However, the rambling estate on the outskirts of Philadelphia was brilliantly lighted until late in the night, disclosing G-men in conference with members of the family.

Denude Manitoba Forests

Christmas Tree Cutting Is Protected By Conservationists

Winnipeg.—Protest over denuding of evergreen forests in eastern Manitoba to meet demand for Christmas trees will be made to the Manitoba government by J. M. Kingston, Winnipeg forest conservationist.

Axe men were busy chopping down trees for use in Winnipeg homes and for export to the United States. Last year trees shipped from Canada to the United States were estimated valued at \$363,577 and in Winnipeg alone it was estimated more than 30,000 black spruce trees were cut down for decorations.

DISCUSS FILM TO STAR DIONNES



A few tips on how to play the part of Dr. Allan Dufosse in the movie, "The Country Doctor", starring the Dionne quintuplets, were given Jean Hersholt, left, stage star cast for the part, by Dr. Dufosse himself, when the two met at Callander, Ont.

Mussolini Determined To Prosecute War To Achieve Objective

Good Listeners

Lord Tweedsmuir Says Canadians Form About The Best Audience In The World

Ottawa.—The opinion that Canadians furnish "about the best audience in the world," with citizens of the United States second, was expressed here by Lord Tweedsmuir, governor-general of Canada.

"You people on this side of the Atlantic are far better audiences than we have in Britain, for you have a genuine love of the spoken word," he told a Canadian club meeting. "Here you really want to listen; at home you have to keep clutching people, so to speak by their hair all the time to prevent them drifting away."

His Excellency made his first public address to an Ottawa Canadian club audience on the subject of public speaking, weaving into his speech recollections of his numerous great speakers he had heard and expressing something of his own tastes in oratory. He confined his remarks to "the spoken word on secular occasions," saying that oratory in the pulpit belonged to an entirely different class.

"These are bad days for the orator," the governor-general told his listeners. "A public man, with the immense population of voters which we possess to-day has no chance of really making his voice heard through the land as, for example, Mr. Gladstone did in the old days, and Theodore Roosevelt in the States in more recent times."

Far the easiest way of appeal was through broadcasting, and broadcasting meant an entirely new technique in speaking. "There," said His Excellency, "you get the spoken word in its barest form with none of the additions which come from the speaker's personality, his eye, his voice, his presence."

He did not feel personal oratory could ever be quite done away with.

Attacked By Eagle

Sherrbrooke, Que.—A large eagle swooped down upon Armand Lemieux, of Megantic, Que., as he walked to work here, clawed him about the face and head and knocked him unconscious. The woods of the district are being searched by sharpshooters aiming to destroy the eagle.

Predicts Revolution

Boston.—Revolution faces the United States unless conditions are changed to meet the needs of human life, Edward A. Filene, Boston merchant and economist, warned in an address here.

Rome.—Premier Mussolini, through the Grand Fascist council, announced he would go straight ahead toward his "goal" in the East African campaign. He announced Italy will achieve her objective and end the struggle on her own terms.

The only reference to the dead Franco-English peace plan was the statement that Italy "is firm" in her rights in the face of differences and contradictions in the sanctionist countries.

The grand council adjourned after a three-hour session without accepting or rejecting the peace proposals, and announced it would meet again Jan. 18, 1936. Before adjourning the council declared the Italian people are solidly organized against "this vain attempt at suffocation" by countries enforcing League of Nations sanctions.

A communique announced the grand council "examined the political situation which has developed since the British repudiation of Paris proposals born of French initiative, which the grand council examined in its meeting Dec. 18."

With the council deliberated, Fascists expressed confidence that with the Anglo-French peace plan dead sanctions are dying and that they have only to wait in Ethiopia to make their own terms in Africa.

Premier Mussolini, believing he had the nations leaning to Italy economically on the run, fought back harder. Blackshirts believed the league front is crumbling.

Against sanctions II Duce threw another 1,600,000 women into the active ranks of economic fighters, he announced that number had joined the Fascist party, quinqupling the woman membership since the league siege began.

II Duce ordered their cards dated Nov. 18, the day the league declared economic war on this country.

The leader also whipped up Fascist leaders to plug leaks and hasten industrial initiative to meet the needs of Italy's 44,000,000 persons. He is teaching a program of "buy Italian."

Queen Attends Charity Show

Wishes Court Mourning In Order To

London.—The queen attended her first movie premiere in London's fashionable West End, seeing, "The Ghost Goes West," given in aid of a tuberculosis settlement.

Although wearing heavy black, she waived the court mourning for the late Princess Victoria in order to attend the charity affair. She was accompanied by the Duchess of Kent.

Federal Relief Grants To Be Increased In Large Measure

Ottawa.—In order that municipalities may be relieved of a large measure of the burden of direct relief costs, the monthly grants in aid to the provinces from the federal treasury have been subjected to a flat increase of 75 per cent, Prime Minister MacKenzie King announced.

Monthly payments have been made to the provinces since August, 1934, at the rate of \$1,751,250. These have been increased to \$3,065,687, effective for the months of December, January, February and March. Under takings will be required from the provinces that they will assist the municipalities as may be necessary, and that the money will be administered without discrimination as to race, religion or politics.

These increases go a considerable distance towards meeting the demands presented at the Dominion-provincial conference by a committee of Dominion mayors, that municipalities be relieved from the cost of direct relief. The arrangements were carried through, the prime minister said, in order to relieve the minds of overburdened municipal officers before the holiday season.

"It is our recognition that relief is a national problem," Mr. King said, "and that the municipalities have

been called upon to shoulder a burden many of them are no longer financially able to carry."

At the conference the provincial authorities agreed to submit further relief expenditures to review by the Dominion commission on unemployment and relief which the government intends to assume.

When this commission is appointed, early in January, it will at once undertake an investigation of relief administration in an effort to establish a basis for future contributions, and to eliminate any laxity or abuses arising either from negligence on the part of officials or misrepresentation on the part of those in receipt of relief.

This four months' arrangement will provide what the prime minister described as "a breathing space" while parliament has an opportunity to go into the question and decide upon future action.

It was his hope, Mr. King said, that the government's policies on trade would go a long way toward decreasing the necessity for unemployment relief by providing work. The new arrangement does not conflict with any other unemployment relief activities such as public works projects or the care of single unemployed and homeless men.

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LOCAL NEWS

"Show Them No Mercy" is the
feature film at the Palace for Sat-
urday and Monday, with Rochelle
Hudson as the star player. Two
shows at 7.30 and 9.30. The
technicolor feature, Becky Sharp,
shown on Wednesday and Thurs-
day, was a remarkable picture for
coloring though the story was dis-
appointing. It is one of the fea-
tures of the year, but box office re-
ceipts in the cities did not meet ex-
pectations.

John Atkinson jr. spent the New
Year's holidays visiting in Leth-
bridge.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS

ENTERING ON a new year with increased confidence,
with every indication of farmers receiving better prices
for their produce, which will give a boost to manufacturing
industries, much of the fear which has prevailed since 1929
will be dispelled.

THE WORLD experiences periods of depression and
prosperity. It has been ever thus, which necessitates
making provision during good years for lean years. Despite
social legislation to alleviate poverty and unemployment, the
responsibility of taking care of future needs as far as human-
ly possible must always be the duty of the individual, and
not of governments.

COLEMAN happily looks back on 1935 with a much bet-
ter record than it has experienced since 1929. Increased
employment was reflected and increased business by local
retailers, who should realize that with an increased market
for their wares, they have a greater opportunity to improve
their services and stocks. It is useless to complain if this
effort is not made to develop local business.

A BRIGHT feature of Christmas Day was the national
program of the Canadian Radio Commission. There was
not a dull moment throughout its two hours swing across
the Dominion, which must have required great care weeks
ahead in working out the details. It was original, nothing
imitative whatever, and reflected practically every phase of
Canadian life on Christmas Day, even to the arrival of a
trans-continental train at Field in the heart of the Canadian
Rockies and conversations with the engineer, the conductor,
the chef, the porter and the passengers. The program was
enhanced by splendid weather which enabled all to hear
under ideal conditions. It was a triumph for C. R. C. radio
engineers and others responsible for arranging the program,
in which over a thousand people were engaged as perform-
ers, scattered throughout every province from the Atlantic
to the Pacific.

JIM BUTTERFIELD, columnist of the Daily Province,
Vancouver, raises the point of a man on relief buying a
glass of beer. Why shouldn't he, argues Butterfield. He is
as much entitled to it as a man who might buy a glass of
orange juice, which costs more than the beer. There is
plenty of room for argument for and against. To a man
accustomed to his daily glass of beer, as much benefit is de-
rived as from a cup of coffee. It isn't the judicious use of
alcoholic beverages which causes harm; it is the abuse. Be-
cause a few abuse a privilege, why make all suffer or brand
them as inferior to those who with an air of assumed virtue
boast they never touch liquor? That is where the spirit of
intolerance is selfishly displayed.

IF TAXES from liquor were eliminated through Prohibi-
tion of the licensed trade, non-drinkers would quickly find
that they would have to pay a lot more in provincial taxes.
You will not see the provincial government advocating mea-
sures for the abolition of the traffic while so much revenue
is to be derived from it. Instead, they clap on heavier taxes
to help build the foundation for Social Credit, and rob the
newspapers of legitimate revenue by prohibiting advertising
of distillers and brewers. Consistency, thou art a jewel!

IF SOME of these self-styled models of virtue and morals
were to practice what they preach, their words might carry
some influence. Instead, we could name some whose ex-
ample in managing their own personal affairs would be a
darned rotten example to follow, even in the small petti-
fogging details of life. Those who throw bricks at glass
houses should not squeal if someone heaves a brick at them.

AND SO the battle of life goes on. Out of the conflicting
hodge-podge of opinions, is evolved that which we
term Progress. We all experience growing pains, even
from the cradle to the grave, for life always furnishes new
experiences. Our ancestors felt the same way about it no
doubt, and those who follow on will experience something
new. But the fundamental principles of life, such as hon-
esty, integrity, perseverance and initiative, do not change,
and are as necessary to right living to-day as they were cen-
turies ago.

BEING almost at the end of the allotted space for this
weekly grist of thoughts, good, bad and indifferent, ac-
cording to the way they may strike you, we cannot close
without extending to our readers the time-honored wish of a
Happy New Year. Many in distant points who have lived
in Coleman read The Journal, and encourage us at times
with a friendly letter and their annual subscription. They
view from afar with probably a more unbiased perspective
than we who live here, and possibly indulge in a quiet smile
over our mutterings. To all, here and elsewhere, we trust
you will share in the upward trend of improved conditions

which appear to be dawning.
By your own efforts may you
help to make it a happy new
year.

Local News

Miss Hilda Fairhurst, district
nurse in the Vauxhall district, is
spending the holidays with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fairhurst.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gate and
Mr. and Mrs. W. Dutil motored to
Lethbridge on Wednesday to wit-
ness the game between the Cana-
dians and Lethbridge Wm. Gate
was referee at the game.

Following the installation of of-
ficers of Summitt Lodge, A. F. &
A. M. last Friday evening, a dance
was held with music furnished by
Altermatt orchestra, which proved
very enjoyable.

With the senior play offs draw-
ing closer the Canadians executive
are endeavoring to get stiffer oppo-
sition to face their hopefuls. Bran-
don seniors, a touring organization,
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Local News

Cyril Hibbert, former Colemanite and now of Edmonton, has been a visitor here for the past two weeks.

G. W. Chahley of Grand Forks spent Christmas holidays here visiting his sons.

The associated boards of trustees of the Pass schools met in Coleman on Dec. 11, when business of an interesting nature was transacted.

Nick Diputat expresses his thanks to Paolo Macchi for various kindnesses shown to him, and takes this opportunity of thanking him.

Mrs. T. M. Brown and Mrs. J. Fisher of Spring Point spent the Christmas holidays here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Holstead.

Mrs. Luke Lindoe and Marion Puffer are visiting in New Dayton, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. McCallum.

Harold Jones has now in operation a 7-passenger taxi cab, radio equipped, making quite a smart turnout.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Larson and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Nilsson of Raymond were visitors over the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Davidson.

Mr. T. Clarke of Macleod spent a few days here this week visiting his son Tom and Mrs. Clarke. He appears to be in better health than ever despite advancing years.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Graham of Lacombe in sending their renewal subscription to The Journal, wish to be remembered to old friends here.

Mrs. Clifford's and Elizabeth Moore's names were omitted in last week's issue as having helped to arrange the Anglican church Christmas tree concert.

Romeo Rinaldi, Milt Congdon and Henry Zak, star curlers of the Blairmore club, will be forth to the Calgary bonspiel on January 20, in search of the MacDonald Brier trophy, emblematic of Alberta championship.

Everyone agreed it was like "old times" when the new Altmatt orchestra drew an unusually large crowd to the Italian hall, Coleman. After receiving many requests from the happy dancers, the hall management decided to give the Pass regular Saturday night dances and immediately engaged the Altmatt orchestra for same.

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BLAIRMORE, ALBERTA

Local News

Keen competition was witnessed as the Rialto Christmas billiard and snooker tournaments were played to a finish. J. Balloch won the billiards when he nosed out Bob Hill by eighteen points. Both finalists received turkeys as prizes. C. Milo with high break of 81 also won a turkey, his break being the best throughout the tournament. Forgetti had a hard match with Frank Barringham in the snooker final before emerging the victor. The last three balls were on the table before the issue was finally settled. Both competitors won turkeys. Forgetti also won the turkey for the highest break running up a break of 32 against Barringham in the last match.

Junior hockey games are gaining in popularity as nearly 200 fans turned out to see Pincher Creek hold the local Tigers to a 3-3 tie. Leading 3-0 at the end of the second period from goals by Jenkins, Pavlus and Kanik, Coleman looked like sure winners but the Creek fought back courageously and won a well earned draw. Coleman will play a return game on Saturday evening. Michel juniors will play here next Sunday.

UNITED CHURCH

January 6, the first Sunday of the new year, every member is urged to attend. Services morning and evening with sermons of helpfulness.

Sunday school 12 15 a. m. Official Board will meet at 3 p. m. sharp.

ST. ALBAN'S CHURCH NOTES

Next Sunday, the second after Christmas; the services will be as follows:—9 30 a. m. Holy Communion. 12 30 p. m. Sunday school. 7 p. m. Evensong and Christmas Carols. Everyone will be made welcome.

The services will be held every Sunday evening until further notice.

A vestry meeting will be held at the close of the service on Sunday evening, in the parish hall.

Mr. Ledieu, sr., of Creston, is spending the holidays here visiting members of his family.

Two casualties noticed over the Christmas holidays—one gentleman with a badly swollen eye, and a lady with a badly bruised knee through falling down. Good thing Christmas only comes once a year.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

U.S. Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau announced the receipt of \$230,453 from Finland in full payment of its war debt instalment.

Twenty-six men were drowned or frozen to death in a blizzard which swept Iceland recently. Twenty persons still are missing.

New Zealand government railways have ordered eight streamlined electric locomotives to be built by the English Electric Company of London.

A stone cross and small memorial chapel will be set up on the bank of the Lake of Lucerne where Queen Astrid of Belgium was killed in a motor accident.

Arthur Henderson, former Labor leader and president of the world disarmament conference, left a net estate of \$115,000, it was revealed. He died October 20. The entire estate was willed to his widow.

Primo Laurencetti may be Italian but he's not a Fascist. And that's why he was in hospital suffering from severe head and body injuries. He shouted, "Down with Mussolini!" at a Fascist meeting in Montreal.

In a round-up of "scooters" police detained 5,253 Berlin bicycles. The purpose was to show them that bicycling speeding will not be tolerated. All were warned, and 2,832 were fined.

A gold nugget weighing 13 kilograms and 787 grams (about 30 pounds), declared by the Soviet press to be the largest ever found anywhere during this century, has been discovered in the Ural gold fields.

More people were killed on British highways during election week than in any other week this year. The total of 145 was 32 more than the previous week and 26 more than the corresponding period in 1934.

Saskatchewan Rhodes Scholar

James Donald Weir of Saskatoon Has Been Awarded

A brilliant student both at high school and college, James Donald Weir, son of the University of Saskatchewan's registrar, and native of Saskatoon, was named as the Saskatchewan Rhodes scholar. Mr. Weir has specialized in geology. He is a nephew of John Weir, dean of law, University of Alberta, and also of Hon. G. M. Weir, minister of education, B. C.

In an unusually able group of applicants for the scholarship the committee found the choice difficult.

It is Mr. Weir's intention to pursue his advanced work in geology and in the school of geography. Mr. Weir's uncle, John Weir, now dean of law at the University of Alberta, was a Rhodes scholar who went to Oxford just after the war and attained distinction in his studies there.

Pioneer Woman Physician

Was One Of The Earliest Women Doctors In America

Illness due to advanced age brought death at St. John, N.S., to Dr. Mary McLeod, 83, first New Brunswick woman to become a doctor and one of the earliest women doctors in North America.

Her medical career was largely concerned with hospital work in the United States. A period of gradual retirement began with her return to New Brunswick 25 years ago. After graduating from the Northwestern University's women's medical school at Chicago in 1892, Dr. McLeod became superintendent of a large hospital in Detroit, continuing similar work in Idaho and western United States. She was born at Caronsville, N.B.

An Open Challenge

Neal O'Hara, in the New York Post, says: "An erudite lady challenges us (or anyone else) to pronounce correctly the following common words: calipso, maseuse, fance, 'cello, lingerie, bourgeois, decollette, elite, porte cochere, and maraschino. And for proper names, try getting these exactly right: I Duce, Sinn Fein, Paderewski, Fascisti, Ypsale, I Trovatore, Thais, Dvorak and Jascha Heifetz."

Used Old Stamps

Canadian stamps of 1897 and 1898 were used to pay the cost of sending a letter from Vancouver to Montreal in a recent week when a Montrealer received an envelope bearing a one-cent 1897 jubilee stamp and the two-cent "Xmas 1898" stamp.

The soft answer that turns away wrath should be used early in the conversation.

New Royal Bank Appointments

B. L. Mitchell, James Muir And Harold G. Heiler Made Assistant General Managers

Appointment of Mr. B. L. Mitchell, Mr. James Muir and Mr. Harold G. Heiler, as Assistant General Managers of The Royal Bank of Canada, is announced. Mr. Mitchell, a native of Merigon, N.S., and since 1934 supervisor of Ontario branches, becomes assistant general manager following a long and extensive career with the bank in many parts of Canada and Newfoundland. He joined the Union Bank of Halifax in 1903, serving as a junior at the New Glasgow branch. When the Union Bank was absorbed by The Royal Bank of Canada in 1916, Mr. Mitchell was moved to Halifax, and two years later became assistant of that branch. In 1915, he was appointed manager of the St. John's, Newfoundland branch, following two years' service as assistant manager there. Between 1919 and 1925, he served successively as manager at Halifax and at Vancouver; in 1929 he was appointed manager at Toronto; and since then supervisor of Ontario branches. As assistant general manager, Mr. Mitchell will continue to supervise Ontario branches from headquarters at Toronto.

Mr. James Muir, for the past four years general inspector of The Royal Bank of Canada, was born in the land. Like Mr. Mitchell, he has been engaged in the profession of banking since boyhood, and has served the bank in the Dominion and New York. Mr. Muir joined The Royal Bank of Canada at Moose Jaw in 1912, after serving three years with the Commercial Bank of Scotland, Ltd., and one year with the chartered bank of India in London, England. In 1916 he was transferred to the inspector's department at Winnipeg, and later in the same year became assistant in the Winnipeg Grain Exchange branch. In 1917 he was transferred to the credit department, Read office, and in 1920 to the inspector's department, Winnipeg, and as assistant supervisor at New York, following in quick succession. His location in New York as assistant supervisor of the bank's business in the United States continued for over three years. In 1928 he returned to Winnipeg as manager. His appointment as general inspector, with headquarters in Montreal, followed in December 1931.

Mr. Harold G. Heiler, secretary of The Royal Bank of Canada, was born in Humberstone, Ont., and joined the Welland branch of the bank as a junior in 1910. He has worked in various capacities in several branches throughout Ontario until 1915, when he was transferred to Winnipeg. After enlistment in the Canadian Overseas, he rejoined the bank at the Havana branch in July 1919, and shortly after was appointed assistant at Cienfuegos, Cuba. The following year he was transferred to the supervisor's department, Havana, and in 1928 became joint manager of Havana branch. In 1930, Mr. Heiler was moved to Read office, Montreal, where he has since been closely in touch with the bank's foreign business, having visited personally many of the bank's foreign branches as well as the more important offices across the Dominion. He was appointed general inspector in 1931. The appointments of Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Muir and Mr. Heiler become effective immediately.

Vancouver To Entertain

Coastal City Expects To Be Host To Many Visitors

"A million visitors to Vancouver, B.C., next year for the city's 12-week Golden Jubilee celebration." This is one of the chief objectives of the Vancouver Golden Jubilee committee. And it is going to be realized. Such is the confident conviction of Leander Manley, vice-chairman of the plans and attractions sub-committee.

"The celebration is going to give Vancouver a new place in the world's map, both literally and figuratively. It is going to develop a dynamic community spirit by calling all city life into action."

"That will be done by staging of the unique and continuous 12-week program, starting with Sunday, May 24, and ending with exhibition, which will be the greatest ever held at Hastings Park," Mr. Manley says. Twenty-five committees have been busy for weeks. The result is a general plan for every week of the great celebration.

New Surgical Aid

Physician Uses Zipper To Close Wound In Stomach

The zipper has joined the ranks of the surgical instruments. One of the fasteners has been attached to the incision in a cancer victim's stomach, and is used to open and close the wound for daily treatment of the tumor.

The zipper arrangement, recently called into play, was confirmed by Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the Journal of the American Medical Association. Doctor Fishbein declined to disclose the name of the hospital, and the hospital in which he is resting, or the surgeon who hit on the zipper idea.

Ninety per cent. of the milk sold in American cities is pasteurized.

Barley can be grown from the Arctic to the tropics.

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Christmas Trees

Million Homes Will Be Decorated For Yuletide Season

Christmas trees are now in season again, and Canada expects to ship nearly four million of them to the United States this year to help decorate the homes of American families and to spread Christmas cheer in the hearts of thousands. In addition, it is estimated that anywhere from 500,000 to 1,000,000 Canadian homes are adorned during the Yuletide Season with trees from Canadian woodlands. Last year the United States imported 3,681,439 Christmas trees from Canada at a cost of \$375,286, and early reports of shipments of these trees from Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick indicate the supply will be considerably larger this year than ever before.

In Eastern Canada the favorite trees for Christmas are young fir or spruce, about ten feet in height. In British Columbia the young Douglas fir is the most popular, and hemlock, juniper and pine of tender growth are also used when the more favored species are not readily available. The spicy odor of the balsam fir, with its short, flat, lacquered leaves of dark green, which render it easy to decorate, make it particularly suitable for use as a Christmas tree.

The origin of the use of trees for decorative purposes at Christmas time is lost in antiquity. The custom is believed to have been adopted from pagan ceremonies, but it is only in comparatively recent times that the Christmas tree has become popular in North America and the British Isles. Since the introduction of strings of coloured electric lights for illumination the use of trees for decorative purposes both inside the home and on the veranda or front lawn has become more popular.

The Town Of Santa Claus

Post Office In Indiana Swamped With Christmas Mail

Meet the man who discovered Santa Claus, the town of Santa Claus, that is, Bill Herschell, Hoosier reporter, song writer and poet, with his ruddy face and somewhat expanded chest, might well pass for good Saint Nicholas himself, given some white whiskers, a red suit and cap and a reindeer team. It was not in that guise, however, but as a reporter that Bill drove into the little town of Santa Claus in the southern Indiana hill country 32 years ago.

"What town is this?" asked Bill. "Santa Claus," said one of the 30 or so inhabitants.

Bill went back to Indianapolis to write a story which drew world attention to the then almost isolated village. The town's fame has grown until now the job of postmaster at Santa Claus this time year of year becomes one which overtakes the local community.

Special stamping machines are brought in and a train post office official is sent there to aid Oscar L. Phillips, postmaster.

As many as 100,000 pieces of mail are handled a day. It comes addressed to "postmaster, Santa Claus, Ind." and includes material for remailing to persons and places all over the world.

An electrical company announces that radio can cure lame muscles and joints. What about aching ears?

Some zoos buy their snakes at so much a foot.

Cross Stitch Roses Bloom Quickly



PATTERN 5424

Gardeners all—when roses are as easy to grow as these. They stay beautiful forever—in this design that is both decorative and practical. Done in shaded colors, or different shades of color, as is the real rose—the finished effect is very lovely, appealing and colorful. The wreath makes a handsome centre for cloths, scarves or footstools. The corners are charming on cushions, scarfs, towels, or your smaller linens.

In pattern 5424 you will find a transfer pattern of two wreaths 10½ x 15½ inches, and four corners 2½ x 5 inches, color suggestions; material requirements; illustrations of all stitches needed. To obtain this pattern send 20 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred) to Household Arts Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg.

There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

SEES THE KING



Sir Robert Vansittart, permanent British Under-Secretary of the foreign office, who participated with Sir Samuel Hoare and Premier Laval of France at the meeting in which the joint peace plan was drafted, had an audience with the King. The peace plan has been generally condemned by other members of the League.

Jews In Germany

Further Restrictions Being Considered By The Government. German Jewish business men and industrialists face new restrictions in measures which will be considered by Chancellor Hitler and his cabinet.

The new measures could circumscribe the economic status of Jews in Germany as the laws decided upon at the Nuremberg Nazi congress circumscribed their civil position.

Among the measures to be considered are the following:

1. An order that Jewish stores prominently show a Hebrew inscription or a star of David.
2. A ban on Jewish stockholding in German firms.
3. An order that no Jew may own land in Germany, or buildings constructed on German land.
4. A law forbidding Jews to reside in towns having a population of less than 20,000.

Alberta's Wheat Crop

Frost Damage Reduced Original Estimate By 2,000,000 Bushels

Alberta wheat crop has been reduced 2,000,000 bushels from the original estimate on account of frost damage. Yield for the province is estimated at 14 bushels per acre, an even bushel less than in 1934. Only about 32,000,000 bushels will grade No. 1 and 2 Northern, 21,000,000 grading 3 and 4 and 52,000,000 only 5, 6 or feed.

Antelope Herds

Hundreds of antelope, once almost entirely extinct in Saskatchewan, are reported roaming over the south western part of the province and government officials have received representations from residents of that area asking for continued protection of the animals.

Wife (reproachfully): "John, you're kinder to dumb animals than you are to me."

Fed-up Husband: "Well, you try being dumb and see how kind I'll be."

Penguins swim 100 miles a day without exerting themselves.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

DECEMBER 29
REVIEW

Golden text: The lovingkindness of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting upon them that fear him, and his righteousness unto children's children. Psalm 103:17.

Devotional reading: Psalm 128.

This great picture of the Suffering Servant of Jehovah given in the 33rd chapter of Isaiah has nothing corresponding to it in Israel's history until Jesus the Christ lived and suffered and died. What is the picture? He was despised and rejected of men; doing on the night of the writing on the wall. He was wounded for our transgressions; what follows here? All we like sheep have gone astray; complete this verse. He was oppressed, yet when he was afflicted—what happened? By oppression and judgment he was taken away; how did those of his generation consider it all?

Over in Tibet the name of the only newspaper that is translated into our language as "The Mirror of the New Vicissitudes of Every Corner of the World." One lesson contained an article which proposed to cure the most troublesome vicissitudes of employment—by having wheels isolated in the western world; then the unemployed could become rich in a moment.

It was called by God to be his agent in preaching against the "vicissitudes" of his day. He was set upon nations, to pluck up and to break down, and to destroy and to overthrow, but he was also to build and to plant, not by any Tibetan method. How was he encouraged to undertake his difficult task? How was he persecuted? When the priests and the people declared him worthy of death, what did he say to them?

See to it that in your own immediate relationship with God and man, to your masters and servants and to associates in business, and to all those whom you encounter in the common way of life—your cheerful and precise the utmost fair play. See that you shrink from taking a mean, unfair, underhand advantage of any other man; be fastidious that he gets as good a chance as yours. And with this that there be no frontier to your good will.

These words are the admonitions of a preacher of righteousness to the people of today. Jeremiah told his people to amend their ways, what did he do not do and what do? What is our advantage of any experience being a dear school? Does one usually profit by the experience of others? Underhand advantage of any other man; be fastidious that he gets as good a chance as yours. And with this that there be no frontier to your good will.

Toronto Star Weekly Has Contest Offering \$3,000 In Cash Prizes

Testing Readers' Knowledge Of Canadian Geography—\$31 Cash Prizes—First Prize \$1,000

Readers of The Toronto Star Weekly are being given an opportunity to put their knowledge of Canadian Geography to practical test. General cash prizes are offered in a contest which this great Canadian weekly newspaper is conducting, answers to which are names found on the map of the Dominion.

The paper is printing four puzzle pictures each week for 12 weeks, 48 pictures in all. Each picture suggests the name of a Canadian city, town, lake, river or other geographical feature. The problem is to select the correct name to suit each picture and the reader sending in the greatest number of correct solutions will be awarded first prize. First prize is \$1,000; second prize \$500 and there are 531 prizes in all, all cash prizes.

The contest starts January 4th and is open to all readers of The Toronto Star Weekly. As many members of one family as wish to do so may enter the contest and any person may send in as many entries as he or she wishes. Rules are very simple. The contest will offer considerable entertainment to readers of this paper, as well as being a test of the readers' knowledge of Canada while the generous cash prizes are well worth working for.

"Pardon me," said the stranger, "are you a resident here?" "Yes," was the answer, "I've been here going on 50 years. What kin I do for you?" Looking for a criminal lawyer," said the stranger. "Have you any here?" "Well," said the other, "we're pretty sure we have, but we can't prove it."

A Useful Bean

When Soy beans and their uses were exhibited at the Fleming museum of the University of Vermont, farmers learned uses of the bean include paints, enamel, automobile parts, electrical fixtures, pigments, chemical products, glue and articles of furniture. These made from celluloid as well as stock feed.

Japan's hobby seems to be collecting China.

How The Turkey Changed Christmas Fare

Gift Of The North American Continent To The Festive Board. Among the culinary gifts from the aboriginal inhabitants of North America to the white man—cornmeal, pods, pemmican, succotash, pumpkin, squash, sweet potatoes, fish and wild fowl and clams and beans baked in clay, maple syrup and maple sugar—roast turkey stands supreme. Nearly three hundred years have passed since the American turkey displaced the haunted Sir Loin and Baron of Beef from their proud positions on the British Christmas table and vanquished forever the claims of roast guinea fowl, quail, cranes and swans as the Christmas masterpiece of the festive board. Indeed, to-day, so dominant is the North American bird that Christmas throughout the English speaking world is not Christmas without a turkey.

The early days of the elementary evidence of the Americanization of European dietary is set forth in an ecclesiastical ordinance by Cranmer, Archbishop of Canterbury, in which is mentioned "the turkey-cocke" as one of "the greater fowls," of which an ecclesiastic was to have "but one on a dish." The learned Archbishop could not have referred to "ye Canadian turkey-cocke," for the Canadian turkey is a notable bird capable of supplying sustenance to many, and what a generous repast! Browning to a society, fragrant as a saphyr from Ceylon's Isle, and towering in regal mien above the portentous platter, the Canadian turkey is a feast for a king. And also a feast for the mind, for with consumption comes the spirit of Christmas, and all men are brothers. Tranquillity, harmony, concord, peace and good will will be the Canadian turkey is famous for its taste and bountiful proportions, and thousands each year grace the Old Country Christmas board, over and above the many thousands on Canadian Christmas tables. The exchange of turkeys and other poultry to Great Britain has assumed very large proportions, as a result of the fine reputation gained by the shipments of previous years. The average weight of a box of turkeys for export is 125 pounds, while the average box of chickens weighs 60 pounds. From January 7 to November 24, 1935, it was assumed very large proportions, as a result of the fine reputation gained by the shipments of previous years. The average weight of a box of turkeys for export is 125 pounds, while the average box of chickens weighs 60 pounds. From January 7 to November 24, 1935, it was assumed very large proportions, as a result of the fine reputation gained by the shipments of previous years. 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SYNOPSIS

Here is an absorbing and exciting story of a fight against stubborn prejudice and a bitter personal malignancy—of a girl and a man battling ridicule, sabotage, bullets, and the treachery that would turn them against each other.

The story opens with Link Fleming, addressing a meeting of Boone County cattlemen, called together with the object of forming an irrigation company.

Roper Kilgo, the boss of the Rawhide and nearby ranges, who seemed to approve the plan, but was really opposed to it, had forced Soak Torney, a derelict mining engineer, whom Kilgo knew would be called upon to give his expert opinion in favor of the scheme, to reverse his earlier endorsement, and declare that irrigation in Boone County so far as Hamilton's plan was concerned, was a new-fangled way to waste money.

(Now Go On With The Story)

CHAPTER II.—Continued

As she did not answer at once Roper followed her eyes. "Fleming's been tryin' to hogtie the boys on a scheme to water the whole county. Can yuh beat that? Crazy, I call it. But he's bullheaded, ain't yuh, Link? Might have cut it over, too," he chuckled derisively. "But Soak Torney shore pricked his balloon, and saved the boys about sixty thousand bucks, I reckon!"

There was a brief silence. "I know about it, Roper," Helen returned quietly. "I'm in favor of irrigation, too. It's the only way to improve our ranches."

"In favor of it? A loco stunt like that? But how—I mean, gosh, where'd yuh hear about it?"

"Link talked irrigation to me a long time ago. I told him nothin' doin' that. Then," Buzz rasped accusingly, "he figured he could work on my s'ater just 'cause she's a girl. Prob'ly thought if he got her talked into it, she'd swing me. But by gosh I won't!"

"Oh, Buzz, please don't make a scene!"

Kilgo rubbed his chin. "So Link wrote 'em, eh? That's shore plenty o' crust, correspondin' with yore sister and hidin' it from yuh!" He jerked his ear as if reflecting swiftly. "Darned if I'd stand for that, Bu— I've danned if I wouldn't!"

"Hold on. There was talkin' about it at all," the Star Loop owner declared coolly.

Helen hung back as Kilgo reached out to take her arm. "I want to talk this over with Mr. Fleming. Yuh see, I'm really serious about it. Why, it will be wonderful—it will make our spread twice as valuable."

"Yuh got no call to write my sister!" This fact seemed to stick in the man's mind, spurring him to deeper wrath as seconds ticked away. Buzz's face was dark, and the twitching of a cheek muscle showed him scarcely able to control himself. He turned on Roper. "Has he?"

"Nerviest thing I ever heard! Don't know's I like it myself," he growled. "Everybody knows Helen and I— I've had things settled before she went away with yore dad. I been waitin' two years and gettin' ready. 'Course, I ain't her brother like yore are. It's up to yuh how yuh aim to take this here interference."

"You're not ridin' out with him, I ain't goin' to have it! He's swingin' on Fleming. 'Just about yore size—this sneakin' lobo stuff!'"

Link had almost reached the limit of his patience. It was only by exerting every ounce of control that he restrained himself from lashing out with a hard fist at the man's face. His gaze riveted on the glittering

blue-grey eyes as with set jaw he answered in a cold, level tone.

"Yuh've got this all wrong. Our correspondence started by accident. And I don't like insults. Is that plain?"

Buzz stepped back. Malice glittered at his frosty warning as swiftly he noted the position of Buster Townsend, who stood waiting for his employer, then of Helen, Kilgo, and Link. A transformation seemed to take place inside the man. His hollow cheeks drained of blood and his lower lip quivered with unspeakable fury.

"Damn you!" he screamed. "I'll teach you to monkey with my sister and plot to grab our spread!"

"Suddenly, loosing a wolfish snarl, he plunged for his Colt."

"Buzz!" Helen flung out both hands to stop his draw.

Fearful lest she be shot, and wholly ignoring his own imminent danger, Link also plunged forward to grasp her shoulder and jerk her out of harm's way.

Wham! The room reeled with the force of a pounding explosion. A grey cloud of acrid powder smoke wafted about their heads, blurred vision. Fleming, unhurt, probed puzzledly from one taut countenance to the next. He staggered and all but lost his balance as Buster struck him with blunt force, both hands clutching at his middle.

"Gosh," he gasped. Twisting and writhing in agony, the Star Loop foreman lurched two steps, then sprawled on his side at their feet.

CHAPTER III.

Helen Hamilton uttered a horrified gasp. Kilgo's expression of satisfaction changed swiftly to dismay as he fell back, startled. Two men on the sidewalk outside halted to peer through the hazy window. Spying Buster on the floor, they came on the run through the front door of the hotel.

As for Buzz, the report of his own weapon had the effect of a severe shock. With brows knit, he stared from it, a wisp of smoke curling from its muzzle, to Townsend. His seamed face swept grey. He flung a quick look around, whirled, and started out the place.

Link would have made after but just then the newcomers seized Hamilton. With a hard jerk Sheriff Torney wrenched the Colt away and jammed it inside his own belt. The next moment Ames had his man pressed with manacles locked over both wrists.

"Dead, Link?"

"No. But he's hurt bad. Seems to have got it in the stomach," he turned to Gaines, the hotel clerk.

"Ah, run for Doc Slater, quick!" Townsend's chubby face was pale under its coat of orange tan, and his eyes were closed. He had ceased twitching to lie as one in a coma. Link stooped, picked up the man as if he weighed half his hundred and seventy pounds, and strode man to his room.

"Give him a shot of this, Link." With shaking hand Roper offered a half-filled flask he had taken from his pocket. Fleming accepted it, and after extracting the cork, pressed the bottle opening to Buster's lips. The brown whisky trickled down his cheeks but some, Link thought, penetrated the tightly-set lips.

There was a bustle behind as roly-poly Dr. Slater pulled in. "Get back, Sheriff! Better clear the lobby. One thing the human animal sure needs to live—air. Now then!" The practitioner dropped his bag and frowning, got on his knees. He glanced over his shoulder. "Bring that girl here. Women are handy at this kind of thing. Needs a man too. Here, Kilgo, you can hand me the instruments."

"Wh-wha' goin' to do, Doc?"

"Operate, of course! Think this fellow can digest lead? Hm," he muttered, shaking his head doubtfully. "Don't know. Bleedin' pretty hard. Bad place, too."

Helen Hamilton was at Slater's side, her lips pressed firmly together, trying to force herself not to shudder at the death-like pallor of the man her brother had shot. Doc looked at her and grunted.

"Yuh got grit enough, I reckon. Don't be scared at lots of blood!"

"Doc, I—!" Roper gulped while he kept his eyes averted from the wounded man. "I don't know if I can—Gosh, I'm liable to keel over!" he exclaimed in panic.

The physician gave a disgusted snort. "Here, somebody else—Link! Hold this man. Thanks, Gaines. That's using yuh head for somethin' useful. Only man that thought of hot water in the whole crowd! Now then. Easy, Buster. . . Won't hurt much. Ah, it's there, eh? Wonder if it went clear in—"

There was a moment of taut silence. Fleming's eyes met those of

FRIENDLY WITH JAPAN



General Yen Hsi-Shan, Governor of Shanai Province, may become puppet head of the vassal state which Japan is expected to set up in Northern China, similar to the Province of Manchukuo.

the girl over Dr. Slater's shiny bald plate. Her face was white as a sheet of paper, but when he nodded questioning toward the door she shook her head.

Link himself by no means relished this sort of thing. Buster was growling and gasping in pain, fearful of the doctor's very touch. Suddenly Slater turned around.

"Ain't goin' weak like Kilgo, are yuh?"

"Link," he whispered, "I got to try a damned delicate operation to save that boy's life. Need two of yuh. Think the girl can stand it?"

"It was her brother shot Townsend, Doc. But I reckon she's the game kind."

"Whistled. 'Her brother? That scamp Slater grabbed? Ought to make him watch it, that's what Ames oughta do!'" While he spoke he watched Buster carefully. "I ain't got a drop o' ether or chloroform. Give me that gun of yehs, Link."

Fleming drew the weapon and handed it over, but first. Puzzled as to Doc's intent, he watched him twirl the Colt until he grasped its cold barrel.

Suddenly Doc leaned toward Townsend. He struck out, but first. There was a low thump that made Buster jerk. Then he relaxed, unconscious.

Helen Hamilton clutched a hand to her throat. But she stifled the cry that sought freedom.

"Now we start. Young lady, yuh sponge that wound. Careful! But keep it open and clear. I got to see what I'm doing. I'm after that slug. Might take a minute to find it. Hated to soak him like that but he couldn't have stood the pain. Nobody likes cold steel pokin' around their stomach."

As he spoke he fished a sharp, gleaming instrument from his kit, dipped it in the whisky bottle, and leaned over his patient. He probed until blood covered his instrument, then withdrew it. Helen's face was like a pale mask and her dark eyes betrayed the sympathetic pain she felt.

Doc Slater tried again. "Uh!" he grunted. "Here, girl—drop that tag. Put your two fingers—so. Wait now. . . All right—pull easy! Ah-ah!" Again he bustled himself, grunting. But his quick, deft fingers made short work of closing the wound and bandaging it.

"Fine. You can tell your husband when yuh get one, yuh operated on a man. Why, Link, she pulled the lead right out of him, and—Hullo! Slater exclaimed.

"Japan: 'The honourable gentlemen are very kind, but I like to be by myself on these occasions!'"—News of the World.

CHINA TEA FOR ONE!



With a gasp that wavered and died Helen stepped back, her eyes closed. But for Fleming's watchfulness she would have fallen. He gathered her slight body in his arms, hurried to another lounge, and laid her gently upon it.

(To Be Continued)

Tricks In All Trades

Clipping Sheep For Show Purposes Is Quite An Art

There are tricks in all trades, and the show ring at such events as the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto is no exception. Officials of the Canadian Association of Exhibitors decide it is all right to fix any animal for show purposes in a legitimate way, but they want to draw the line at injecting wax under the skin to fill up certain hollows, or slitting the skin in such a way as to remove some fault in conformation.

It may be the average individual when attending a fall or winter fair never pays much attention to sheep for instance. The spectator may notice that they are evenly trimmed, and if he is observant it may occur to him that sheep in the field do not look as well cropped as those on exhibition.

Not long ago one farmer said he never had been able to get his sheep properly clipped for show purposes. He explained that when an animal was marked for showing the clipping was done earlier than with the rest of the flock, the idea being to allow the wool an opportunity to get a good growth before being trimmed for show purposes.

Our farmer informant said he could dip and wash sheep and then clip them right enough, but it was this business of giving the animals a hair cut for show purposes that he had never been able to master. He admitted having tried it several times, but said the results were never right. It may be some time before readers have opportunity again to look at a sheep in a show pen, but it may be well to bear in mind that clipping the wool for show purposes is quite an art. Most of the exhibitors make a fine job of it.—Peferborough Examiner.

Must Be Correct Type

British Broadcasting Co. Wants Super Girl For Television

Somewhere in the United Kingdom is a beautiful young woman with personality plus charm, a golden voice and photogenic features—if she can be found, and the British Broadcasting Corporation hopes she can. If so, she will be engaged to take a leading part in the forthcoming campaign to popularize television.

By "photogenic features," according to George Cook, director of television, is meant good looks which televise well.

Besides the superlative woman, a superlative man is wanted by the B.B.C. for television, two really first-class announcers. The idea is to be gish with about three hours a day of short, snappy programs transmitted at times most suitable for public and private demonstrations.

Royal Castle Now Hotel

Was Once Home Of Queen Alexandra In Denmark

Once the home of the late Queen Alexandra and her sister, the late Empress Dagmar of Russia, mother of the murdered Czar, the beautiful royal castle of Hvidore, in Denmark, is to be converted into a hotel and restaurant. Queen Alexandra acquired it in 1905. Two years later she built a big open fireplace in one of the drawing-rooms. There is an inscription in the mantelpiece reading: "East or West—Home is Best," with the sign A. (Alexandra). At one time it was rumored that the castle would be acquired by King George, but owing to his ill-health, it is stated, the purchase was never accomplished.

Sun Spots Will Cause Static For Next Two Years

Old Sol is on another rampage, threatening radio listeners on Mother Earth with an epidemic of static in the next year or two. Astronomers warned that increasing sun spots—noted at various observations—can be expected to put nasty kinks in the ether waves, but trees will grow better and have more crops to show for it. The sun spot cycle, which roughly follows a seven-year period, will be at maximum during the next two years, Dr. Oliver Lee, head of the astronomy department of Northwestern University, Chicago, reported.

Living Statistics

Sleeping And Pleasure Require The Same Amount Of Time

Twenty-three years of the average person's life is spent in bed, according to statistics published at Nice. Apart from sleep in our allotted span of 70 years, we talk for 15 years. Eat for six years. Spend 25 years in pleasure and wash for 18 months.

Because of its cheapness, tear gas was used more than any other gas in the World War. One shell would cover an area which otherwise would take 500 or 1,000 phosgene shells.

Experiments using hydrogen peroxide instead of yeast in bread making have been tried at the U.S. department of agriculture.

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Dust Explosions

Research Work Has Resulted In Reduction Of Losses

"Research work has resulted in a marked reduction in losses from dust explosions and resulting fire in the principal grain and milling industries in both Canada and the United States," David J. Price, chemical engineer of the United States department of agriculture at Washington, told the Royal Canadian Institute at Toronto.

Although considerable progress has been made, all causes of dust explosions are not known, Mr. Price said. In general the ignition of an explosive mixture of dust and air results in a primary explosion which jars other dust loose from ledges and beams, machinery parts and walls. This dust suspended in air feeds the flames and brings about a secondary explosion of larger proportions.

The importance of removing settled or "static" dust in an industrial plant is therefore a vital factor in dust explosion prevention and control, he said. If there is no accumulated dust to feed the flames of the preliminary flash or fire, the secondary and more serious explosion does not follow.

Dust explosions are not confined to grain handling or milling plants, but are possible in most industrial plants and should be guarded against, the visiting chemist declared.

France Has New Sport

Shooting Fish On Ocean Bed Has Become Craze

Saint Raphael, France, reports that a fish-shooting season has opened on the bed of the ocean for the first time, and the sport is becoming a craze. It is due to the invention of an underwater hunting outfit by Colonel le Prieur. Each hunter wears a rubber mask containing a glass porthole. This is connected with a bottle of compressed air, strapped to the shoulders, which makes breathing under water normal. A pneumatic gun completes the equipment. "Bags" of edible and interesting specimens have been reported by hunters.

Scale Model Of Ship Is Insured For \$50,000

A scale model of the liner "Queen Mary," so valuable that it is insured for \$50,000, has been brought to New York from England and placed on display in the Cunard White Star line's offices.

The model, weighing just under a ton, is 23 feet long, has a beam of 2½ feet and its mainmast stands four feet 10 inches.

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Local News

Everett Price of Trail is spending the holidays at his home here.

Miss Jennie Heibeln, school teacher at Cowley, spent the holidays with her parents here.

The St. John Ambulance Association dance was attended by a record number of people, and proved very enjoyable. At Blairmore the Elks annual ball also attracted a large number and was very successful.

W. H. Chappell, jr., has been laid off from his office duties owing to illness. Even though forbidden to leave the house, he poked a gun out of the door as the old year passed out, and fired a salute to the new year.

Bowladrome Tournaments

Tigers and Italians tied for the leadership at the end of the second half of the ten-pin league schedule played at the Bowladrome during the past season. In the play-off Tigers won out and are the winners of handsome miniature cups.

Tigers are likely to win the league from the Sharks, winners of the first half of the schedule, by default. Members of the winning team are, M. Pollak, A. Dow, Steve Rypien, W. Beila and J. Sapeta.

S. DeMartin was too good for other players and his score of 241 in the period between Nov. 17 and Dec. 24 went unchallenged and won for him a silver trophy. The Christmas tournament is still unfinished owing to some of the entrants failing to show up at their scheduled time.

Canadians Trim Lethbridge 8-3

Canadians showed their superiority over the Lethbridge Maple Leafs on Wednesday before 2000 fans when they won 8-3. Coleman have been seen to better advantage, their play on many occasions being ragged but at other times they would unleash a dazzling combination attack that had the puck in the net before Storie knew what it was all about.

The appearance of Jack Kwasnie in uniform was met with delight by Coleman fans present. Jack received his amateur card on Jan. 1 and is now eligible for all amateur games. He gave a finished display in the art of body checking and bowled over the Lethbridge forwards like ten pins. Fisher and

Jenkins got three goals each, Joyce and P. Brown getting the other two. Jenkins was credited with six scoring points, a good afternoon's work. Scodellaro was outstanding in the Canadian net saving many dangerous shots. Delighan, Anderson and Bruchet were credited with the Lethbridge goals.

HORSE OWNERS MAY CHUCKLE

The following from the Saltcoats (Sask.) Observer is good writing and makes good reading. "At last our chance came! And we took it. For months past we had been the victims of buses, trucks and cars, which took one unbelieve delight in splashing us with mud in wet weather, smothering us in dust when dry, bumping into our old brindle cow, running over our baby calves, and generally enjoying their wicked ways (you see we have no car of our own). But last week, presto! Our turn came. As we jogged along behind old Dobbin in our home-made jumper, we beheld a sight which made our bosoms heave joyfully. One large bus, two heavily laden trucks and five cars, all stuck fast in a snow bank. Many men were shovelling and cranking, and sweating, many ladies were pushing and giving orders and praying, but their SOS cries fell on deaf ears. We jacked our chin a notch higher, and chirped to old Dobbin, who snorted and pranced past in high disdain."

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Salesman: "No more thieves?"

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